

# The Paducah Evening Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 30, 1908

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## DELEGATES TO THE OHIO VALLEY IMPROVEMENT ASS'N

Selected by Different Organ-  
izations of Rivermen at  
Open Meeting Last Night.

Will Ask City to Defray Ex-  
penses of Delegates.

IT WOULD BENEFIT PADUCAH

The masters, pilots, engineers and mates met in an open session last night at the Marine Engineers association hall and elected delegates and substitutes to be recommended to Mayor Smith for his approval as delegates to the convention of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, which meets at Louisville October 22 and 23. The delegates appointed by the river men were Engineer J. L. Weston, Pilot I. O. Ford, Mate George Heil. The substitutes appointed in case the regular delegates could not go were Engineer Ellis Ford, Pilot Austin Owen, Mate Conway Graydon, Capt. S. A. Fowler and a committee from the river men will ask the councilmen and aldermen at their next regular meetings to defray the expenses of these delegates, to be sent from Paducah as representatives of the river interest and business interest of this city in having the nine-foot stage from Cairo to Pittsburgh the year round.

The meeting of river men last night was called to order by Captain George W. Lee, secretary of the Marine Engineers association. Captain I. O. Ford, a member of the pilots association, was elected chairman. Captain Saunders A. Fowler, a member of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, was present on a request of the river men and gave a short talk on the benefits Paducah would realize from the nine-foot stage the year around. Captain Fowler had data showing that Paducah was now the fourth city along the Ohio river in the amount of tonnage shipped by river. The cities ranking first, second and third place are Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Louisville. With the nine-foot stage Paducah would be one of the largest shipping points along the Ohio and tributaries and with the opening of the Panama canal, the grain and the foodstuffs that are now being sent east and then by boat to southern ports and to the western coast, will be shipped by the way of the Ohio river, south and through the canal to the western coast. Captain Fowler said that the big railroads of the north were looking forward to Paducah as being one of the largest shipping points on the Ohio river when the nine-foot stage is completed.

The improvements to the lower end of the river will take seven years to complete at a cost of \$62,000,000. There will be three locks and dams within 45 miles of Paducah, which means more to Paducah than any undertaking one could possibly conceive of.

The river men came to the conclusion that the only way to get the nine-foot stage was to send a good delegation from this city to Louisville during the convention and to get the convention here in 1910 so that the people of the convention can be shown the need of the deep waterway, for maybe they are from Missouri.

The meeting adjourned until next Wednesday night, when all river men and others interested in the improvement of the rivers and harbors are cordially invited to attend. There will be some good speaking.

There were about forty river men present at last night's meeting.

### Irrigation Congress.

Albuquerque, Sept. 30.—John Barrett, director of the international bureau of the American republics, made the principal address at the irrigation congress today. He outlined the progress of irrigation in the Pan-American countries. W. H. Wiley explained irrigation by private enterprise in Colorado. The resolutions committee was swamped with various suggestions.

### Republicans Organize

Notices are being mailed from the Republican headquarters by Secretary H. C. Hoover to all of the prominent Republicans in the city and representatives from each ward calling attention to a meeting that will be held Monday, October 5. The meeting will be held for the selection of precinct officers and outlining the plan of the campaign. A roving meeting is expected.

New York, Sept. 30.—The Anaconda Copper Mining company declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share. This is unchanged from the last previous quarter.

## Paducah Ranks Fourth in the Amount of Tonnage Shipped on Ohio River for Year 1906

Figures That Reflect the Great  
Value of Rivers to the City,  
and Prompt Our Interest in  
Their Improvement.

RIVER TRADE OF  
PRINCIPAL TOWNS  
ON THE OHIO IN 1906

PITTSBURGH AND ALLI-  
GHENY—Population, 350,000;  
received and shipped 1,278,382  
tons.  
Cincinnati—Population, 325,000;  
received and shipped 1,000,000 tons.  
Louisville—Population, 201,731;  
received and shipped 1,017,526 tons.  
PADUCAH—Population, 19,440;  
received and shipped 828,000 tons, or one-fifth as much as Pittsburgh.  
Evansville—Population, 50,007;  
received and shipped 371,500 tons.  
Wheeling—Population, 11,000;  
received and shipped 241,000 tons.

Paducah people have truly a faint conception of the value of its rivers, but probably more of them will have more when they read the following address of Saunders A. Fowler, delivered at the Commercial club dinner last week, and which is printed below.

Paducah enjoys a distinction not often given to cities. Standing at the gateway of the south the immense tonnage sent down the Ohio and tributary rivers passes her very doors and at the same time she is the recognized head of deep water winter navigation. Upon the bosom of the mighty Ohio there passes down by here fourteen millions of tonnage annually, originating at Pittsburgh and increasing in volume as it comes down the river. In order to better handle this ever-increasing tonnage and to meet the demands of commerce there was organized fifteen years ago the Ohio Valley Improve-

## REID RESTING WELL AND HAS A CHANCE TO RECOVER

With another 24 hours of rest it is hoped that John Reid, who was shot by Emmett Wood Monday afternoon, may have a chance to recover. Last night Reid had a quiet night at the hospital. The wound in the bowels may not cause his death, but the wound through the lung has not reached its worst stage yet. Reid has much confidence that he will recover, and this is a factor in keeping him alive so far.

## ANOTHER SALE OF REGISTER MAY BE HELD

It is probable that the plant of the Register Newspaper company, which is in bankruptcy, may be sold again. Attorney E. W. Bagley, referee in bankruptcy, has received notice that Judge Evans has set aside the last sale provisionally. Not until October 8 will it be known whether he will set aside the sale permanently and order the plant sold or let it go to Attorney Campbell Flournoy for \$5,000, the highest bid at the last sale. The sale was set aside temporarily by Judge Evans in order to give H. H. Scott, who represents the bond holders, an opportunity to put in a higher bid. Should a higher bid not be received it is concluded that the sale will be ratified.

### Old Railroad Man Dies.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 30.—Stephen P. Cole, aged 59 years, for 32 years in the employ of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, was found dead in his chair in the local freight office, where he was record clerk. Heart trouble was the cause.

### Will Remain at Peoria.

Columbus, Sept. 30.—Permanent headquarters of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers will remain at Peoria, Ill., where they have been for fourteen years. This was decided at the convention yesterday.

## BRYAN REPLIES TO ROOSEVELT'S LATEST LETTER

Charges More Attention Given  
to Mote Than Beam by  
President.

Dwells Largely on Campaign  
Contributions.

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN FUND

Chicago, Sept. 30.—"I have lived in vain if your accusations have lost me a single friend," said Bryan in a letter addressed to President Roosevelt, replying to that of the president written Sunday.

Bryan points to his record and declares that it is a sufficient answer to the insinuations of the chief executive that he is in sympathy with or controlled by the trusts. Reverting to the charges against Haskell, Bryan says the president, in response to his request, did not deign to suggest a tribunal which could determine those charges, but instead proceeded to pass judgment upon him, and in forms the president that the occupant of that high office cannot deny to the humblest citizen the right to protect his reputation and vindicate his name in the courts.

Taking up the president's assertion that certain trust magnates, fearing prosecution under Taft, will support the Democratic candidate, Bryan charges that the president worded his statement in such a way as to claim the support of all trust magnates "and not put out on the ground that they are supporting your party for patriotic reasons, rather than for the promotion of selfish interest."

In proof of the fact that he would not be controlled by the trusts, Bryan says that if elected he will enforce the anti-trust laws not spasmodically and intermittently, but persistently and consistently.

Bryan, in dealing with the Democratic campaign fund of 1896 as compared with the Republican fund of 1904, charges that the president pays "more attention to the mote than to the beam" and asserts that in 1904 the Republicans used in one state a fund almost as large as the entire sum of the Democratic party had in its control. The letter concluded with a notice to the president that an opportunity would be afforded him "to misrepresent the motives of those who give to our campaign fund and to arouse all the suspicion you can."

The closing portion of Bryan's statement is devoted to campaign contributions. He says: "You attempt to make a personal question of it and ask whether any one will accuse such men as you, Hughes and Taft of being influenced

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### NEW POSTAL RATE.

Washington, Sept. 30.—The two-cent letter rate to Great Britain begins tomorrow. It is successful the government hopes to extend it to all Europe and the English colonies. Germany, France and Italy has asked a similar arrangement with those countries.

### Ohio Going Dry

Columbus, O., Sept. 30.—Today's returns show twelve additional counties have voted "dry." This adds 100,000 people to the dry area, and puts 300 saloons out. The prohibitionists have not lost a county in the series of elections.

### WEATHER.

Fair and warmer tonight. Thursday fair. Highest temperature yesterday, 60; lowest today, 46.



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## NON-PARTISAN SCHOOL TICKET NOT READY FOR ANNOUNCEMENT.

The committee selected by the citizens' meeting to select a ticket for school board met at the city hall yesterday afternoon, and made up a ticket. But, as all of the men selected to serve have not been seen to ascertain if they are willing to be placed on the ticket, the announcement of it has been withheld. The committee is laboring earnestly to get a ticket that will appeal to every voter as strictly an independent movement, and its actions will necessarily be deliberate.

## President Roosevelt Will Not Reply to the Personal Attack Made by Democratic Candidate

Loeb Declares There is No  
Reason for Answer—Move-  
ment of Both Presidential  
Candidates.

Washington, Sept. 30.—Secretary Loeb announced that President Roosevelt will not reply to Bryan's latest letter. He explained that the president thinks the letter is simply a personal attack and there is no reason for an answer.

### Bryan's State Republic.

Emerson, Neb., Sept. 30.—Taft made ten stops in Nebraska today. Governor Sheldon accompanied him. He declared Nebraska is safely Republican. Bryan paid a tribute to Bryan as a citizen and man, but said he must remember his reputation for changing beliefs and devising new political schemes over night. He expressed the hope that Bryan would lead his followers to a third defeat.

### Bryan in Iowa.

Muscatine, Ia., Sept. 30.—Bryan made a half dozen speeches today. He followed the line of his last letter to Roosevelt, and attacked the president's attitude in the campaign. He declared the people would resent any attempt of a president to name his successor. Large crowds heard him at every place.

### Goes Outside Union Banks.

Minneapolis, Sept. 30.—Gompers is preparing to go outside the ranks of union labor in trying to elect Bryan. President Hawley, of the Minnesota federation, has received a letter from Gompers urging him to better all workmen to attend the coming meeting here. He announced hereafter the Gompers slogan will be

## KINCAID HEIRS SUB TRACTION CO. FOR \$25,000

Holding the Paducah Traction company responsible for the fatal injury and death of Thomas J. Kincaid, James C. Kincaid, administrator of the deceased, filed suit in the circuit court this afternoon asking damages to the extent of \$25,000.

In the petition James Kincaid relates that on September 18 when Thomas Kincaid attempted to get off of a Third street car at Shelton's foundry on South Third street, the car was started up quickly by the motorman and Thomas Kincaid was thrown to the brick street. The plaintiff says that the deceased grabbed the step of the car in trying to save himself and that the motorman carelessly and by gross negligence failed to apply the brakes. He states that Thomas Kincaid held to the steps for about 200 feet when he grew weak and was forced to release his hold.

The administrator says that the car wheels passed over his right arm and leg, severing both of them and he was otherwise fatally injured. Then, he says, the motorman reversed the current and ran back over the body, going 18 or 20 feet before stopping.

James Kincaid was appointed administrator of Thomas Kincaid September 26 in the county clerk's office. The suit was filed by the law firm of Hendrick & Corbett.

### Methodist Missionary Drowned.

Burdston, Sept. 30.—(Special.)—The Rev. F. M. Hill, state Methodist missionary, and bride were drowned in Chaplin river, this county, while trying to ford the stream.

### J. A. Wilson Dead

News has reached the city of the death of J. A. Wilson, a prominent merchant of Whitesville, Tenn., who died at his home yesterday. He was buried at Whitesville, Tenn., this morning. He is survived by Mrs. G. W. Wilson, of Clinton, Mrs. H. W. Givens, of Paducah, and J. A. Wilson, Jr., of Whitesville, his children. They were at his bedside when he breathed his last.

## SPLENDID TICKET WAS NAMED FOR THE CITY OFFICES

Men Representing Best Inter-  
ests of City Named for  
Aldermen and Council.

Wade Brown Easily Wins Jail-  
er Nomination.

A. R. GHOUSE FOR TREASURER

### THE TICKET.

Aldermen—W. T. Miller, H. S. Wells, Phil Lack, U. S. Walston and B. W. Cornelison.

Councilmen—First ward, John W. Belmont; second ward, Mike Williams; third ward, C. M. Riker; fourth ward, J. L. Wanner; fifth ward, T. E. Ford; sixth ward, R. S. Barnett.

City Treasurer—A. R. Ghouse. City Jailor—Wade Brown.

In the crowded council chamber at the city hall last night the Republican party made nominations for city offices that will be filed at the election November 3. It was a business-like session and lacked that noise and confusion that have marked political gatherings. The delegates considered that their job was a serious one and considered capable men, as the ticket shows that to make a better one could not be made. All of the men are thoroughly reliable in every walk of life and have the interest of Paducah at heart.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. E. E. Bell and H. C. Hoover was appointed temporary secretary. After all the credentials had been handed in Mr. Bell gave way to the election of a permanent chairman. Alderman W. T. Miller was nominated and elected unanimously. Mr. H. C. Hoover was elected secretary. Frequent calls for speeches were made, but Chairman Miller stated that it was a business meeting and that it should be considered seriously. On motion Chairman Miller appointed a nomination committee of five members: Frank M. Fisher, J. M. Dunaway, Gus Hank, David Browning and Grandison Reeves. Mr. Browning begged to be excused from the committee, as he is a new comer to the city, but the members thought it was better that Mr. Browning should become acquainted with Paducah's citizens and he accepted the honor as a member of the committee.

After the ticket had been arranged the committee reported, and it was decided to vote for the ticket as a whole unless there were other names nominated for the same place, when the contested office should be settled by separate ballot. The ticket proved satisfactory to everyone present.

## POSTMASTER SHOOTS DOWN P. O. INSPECTOR

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 30.—Post-office Inspector Chas. Fitzgerald, of this city, was shot and killed by W. A. Sorsby, clerk in the Clinton post-office.

Fitzgerald was brought to Jackson on the first train and carried to the sanitarium, where he died at 9:30 last night. Sorsby's bullet had entered the side just above the hip bone.

Fitzgerald had been to Clinton two days checking up that office, of which Mrs. Cabness is the postmistress. Sorsby married her daughter and had been running the office. Fitzgerald checked him up short several hundred dollars and had started back to his home in Jackson. While on his way to the train and on the depot steps, carrying a grip in each hand, Sorsby appeared suddenly before him, stuck a pistol to his side and fired before his victim could raise his hand or utter a protest. He had been in the service thirty years.

Charles Fitzgerald was a native of this city, where he was born forty-nine years ago and where he has since lived. He leaves two brothers, E. A. Fitzgerald, of Vicksburg, and Will H. Fitzgerald, of Rosedale, also his wife, three daughters and two sons and a number of near relatives here and elsewhere throughout the south.

### Sixteen Ohio Counties Dry.

Columbus, Sept. 30.—Twelve Ohio counties voted under the rose law and all went "dry." The number of saloons affected is 283. Altogether 16 of the 55 counties in the state have held elections and all gone "dry."

### Chicago Market.

	Sept.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	99 1/4	98 1/2	98 1/4	98 1/2
Corn	78	76	76	76
Oats	50	49	49 1/4	49 1/2
Oct.				
Provisions	14.75	14.50	14.50	14.50
Lard	10.37 1/2	10.15	10.25 1/2	10.25
Ribs	9.90	9.75	9.80	9.80

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and  
Union Station.

### Departs.

Lv. Paducah	7:45 a.m.
Ar. Jackson	12:30 p.m.
Ar. Nashville	1:30 p.m.
Ar. Memphis	3:30 p.m.
Ar. Hickman	1:35 p.m.
Ar. Chattanooga	9:27 p.m.
Lv. Paducah	2:15 p.m.
Ar. Nashville	8:30 p.m.
Ar. Memphis	8:40 p.m.
Ar. Hickman	8:35 p.m.
Ar. Chattanooga	2:44 a.m.
Ar. Jackson	7:30 a.m.
Ar. Atlanta	7:10 a.m.
Lv. Paducah	6:00 p.m.
Ar. Murray	7:32 p.m.
Ar. Paris	9:15 p.m.

### Arrival.

Arrives 1:20 p. m. from Nashville, Memphis and all Southern points.  
Arrives 8:15 p. m. from Nashville, Memphis and all Southern points.  
7:45 a. m. train connects at Hollow Rock Jet, with chair car and Buffet Broker for Memphis.  
2:15 p. m. train connects at Hollow Rock Jet, with chair car and Buffet Broker for Nashville.  
F. L. Welland, City Ticket Agent, 420 Broadway.  
E. S. Burnham, Agent, Fifth and Norton.  
R. M. Prather, Agent, Union Depot.

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## ILLINOIS CENTRAL EX- CURSION BULLETIN.

Mayfield Races—On ac-  
count of races at Mayfield the  
Illinois Central Railroad com-  
pany will sell round trip tick-  
ets on September 23d to 26th  
inclusive, for \$1.00. On  
Thursday, September 24, spe-  
cial train will leave Paducah  
at 9:40 a. m. and returning,  
leave Mayfield at 6 p. m.  
Memphis, Tenn.—Cheap ex-  
cursion. Train leaves Paducah  
Union depot 9:40 a. m.,  
Tuesday, September 22, re-  
turning train leaves Memphis  
7 p. m. Wednesday, Septem-  
ber 23. Round trip \$2.00.  
Memphis, Tenn.—Tri-State  
Fair. Dates of sale Septem-  
ber 27th to October 7th in-  
clusive, limit October 8th.  
Round trip \$5.25.  
Mayfield, Ky.—West Ken-  
tucky Fair. Dates of sale  
September 23rd to 26th in-  
clusive, return limit Septem-  
ber 27th. Round trip \$1.00.

J. T. DONOVAN,  
Agent City Office, Paducah,  
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R. M. PRATHER,  
Agent Union Depot.

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## GREATEST CIRCUS COMES TO TOWN

Streets Thronged With People  
From City and County.

Great Parade Witnessed By Thou-  
sands.

### PERFORMANCE THIS AFTERNOON

When Ringling Brothers' glad-  
voiced calliope piped "Gee Whiz, I'm  
Glad I'm Free" on the streets this  
forenoon fifteen or twenty thousand  
spectators stood on the curb stones  
and cried, "Welcome to our city!"  
to the elephants. It was the finest circus  
parade that has been gotten off the  
front steps and the sidewalks for an-  
nals.

The first thing to dazzle the eyes  
was the band wagon in the lead with  
its team of twenty-four white horses.  
Dotted here and there down the rest  
of the line were other bands, organs,  
chimes and orchestras. One immense  
tableau was drawn by a team of  
twenty camels; a tiny menagerie  
cage, highly decorated, rolled along  
behind a team of twenty-four ponies,  
and many high-stepping thorough-  
breds were driven en tandem. In all  
there were 651 horses.

Some of the menagerie cages were  
closed and many were open, display-  
ing all sorts of creatures from jungle  
and forest. Numerous nations were  
represented by all kinds of strange  
people from the low-browed savage  
of the Australian bush to the sym-  
phonic unclen of the Turkish harem;  
painted warriors, desert tribesmen,  
Persian court women, knights and  
brigands.

The feature of the animal collec-  
tion this season is Darwin, the mis-  
ing bluk, named, of course, after the  
man who predicted him. The honor  
of the animal's capture belongs to  
Prof. Gabriel Klotz, who discovered  
it in the wilds of India. Gorilla or  
ape, or whatever he may be, the ani-  
mal is certainly entitled to considera-  
tion as the next to the last link in  
the Darwinian chain.

He has a high intellectual forehead.  
He is a little shy on nose, but makes  
up that deficit in a well-shaped head  
and frontal bone. He uses his hands  
as well as a man does. He utters gut-  
tural sounds which the head animal  
keeper says is the ape language.  
Already, without coaching, the animal  
has adopted the use of a chair and  
handles a knife and fork aptly. It  
drinks from a bottle and prefers to  
sleep in a bed as a man does.

Many Visitors in Town.  
Every train that stopped at the  
Union station today was crowded to  
the platform, and all because it was  
circus day. The trains arriving last  
night had an extra number of pas-  
sengers and all trains up to noon had  
standing room above par. The largest  
crowd was brought in from Ballard  
county on the early morning train  
from Cairo. The baggage car, smoker  
two regular cars and the sleeper were  
crowded with passengers and some  
were hung on by the handles with  
their feet on the steps. In order that  
the conductor might collect the fares  
the train was pulled along at slow  
speed. At Eleventh street and Broad-  
way the passengers were unloaded  
and the train was ten minutes late  
at the Union station, all because of  
the large number of passengers. Ex-  
actly 718 fares were collected on the  
train on the trip this morning. Extra  
coaches will be added for the return  
trip this evening.

Broadway was crowded with coun-  
try people and children. As early as  
4 o'clock this morning the farm  
wagons with families began to arrive,  
and the people were out on the street  
by 7 o'clock. When the parade  
passed Broadway was congested. The  
Mayfield trains contributed to the  
crowd and the boats all arrived with  
the decks full of passengers.

Pale Delicate Women and Girls.  
The Old Standard GROVES' TASTE-  
LESS CHILL TONIC drives out ma-  
laria and builds up the system. For  
grown people and children, 50c.

### GOING AFTER THE COAL TRUST.

Brief Hearing Held in Philadelphia  
Federal Building.

Philadelphia, Sept. 30.—A brief  
hearing was held in the federal build-  
ing here by Examiner Charles H.  
Gallagher in the suit of the United  
States government to dissolve the al-  
leged trust in the anthracite coal in-  
dustry. The session was taken up  
entirely with the submission of state-  
ments asked for by the government  
at the hearing held last May. These  
papers consisted principally of de-  
scriptions of the property owned by  
the defendants in the suit, lists of  
stockholders, area of coal lands and  
historical and geological statements  
relating to the hard coal fields. The  
government's case was conducted by  
James McReynolds and G. Carroll  
Todd, while the interests of the de-  
fendants were taken care of by their  
respective legal staffs. The next hear-  
ing will be held in New York on  
October 7.

A Montreal grain merchant recent-  
ly sent an inquiry to London by the  
wireless system and received an an-  
swer in less than two hours.

A \$20,000,000 terminal station has  
been planned for the steam, electric  
and subway lines of San Francisco.

### CLEAR THE COMPLEXION OVER NIGHT.

Pimples, Rash, Eruptions, Etc., Quick-  
ly Eradicated by New Skin Rem-  
edy.

Since its discovery one year ago,  
poslam, the new skin remedy, has in  
its extraordinary accomplishments,  
exceeded the most sanguine expecta-  
tions of the eminent specialist who  
gave it to the world. It has cured  
thousands of cases of eczema and  
irradiated facial and other disfigu-  
rements of years' standing. The terri-  
ble itching attending eczema is stop-  
ped with its first application, giving  
proof of its curative properties at the  
very outset.

In less serious skin affections, such  
as pimples, rash, herpes, blackheads,  
nose, barber's itch, etc., results show  
after an overnight application, only a  
small quantity being required to ef-  
fect a cure. Those who use poslam  
for these minor skin troubles can now  
avail themselves of the special 30-cent  
package, recently adopted to  
meet such needs. Both the 50-cent  
package and the regular \$2 jar may  
now be obtained in Paducah at Gil-  
bert's and other leading drug stores.

Samples for experimental purposes  
may be had free of charge by writing  
direct to the Emergency Laboratories,  
32 West Twenty-fifth street, New  
York City.

### WRIGHT MAKES THREE FLIGHTS

American Twice Carries Passengers in  
Tests at Le Mans, France.

Le Mans, Sept. 30.—Wilbur Wright  
made three successful flights Sunday  
on the first flight he was unaccom-  
panied, and remained in the air 1  
hour, 7 minutes, 11 4-5 seconds, cov-  
ering about 30 miles.

On the second flight he was ac-  
companied by the acrobatist, The-  
sander, and he succeeded in beating  
the record for flight with passenger  
by remaining up 11 minutes 2 2-5  
seconds. His previous flight with a  
passenger was made on Friday last,  
when he remained in the air 5 min-  
utes 13 1-5 seconds at a height of 50  
feet. Count de Lambert was his pas-  
senger on the third trip.

Washington, Sept. 30.—To give  
Orville Wright time to recover from  
the injuries he received in the acci-  
dent to his airplane at Fort Myer  
recently, the Wright brothers have  
made application to the signal corps  
for an extension of nine months, or  
until June 28 next, in which to make  
the official tests of their machine.  
The application has been referred to  
Secretary Wright with the recom-  
mendation that it be approved.

### LINKS TAFT, HRYAN AND RUKE

Farmers' Congress Elects Candidates  
and Noble Honorary Members.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 30.—Judge  
Taft, William J. Bryan and the duke  
of Devonshire were elected honorary  
members of the Farmers' National  
Congress at the annual meeting of  
that organization. John M. Stahl, of  
Chicago, was re-elected legislative  
agent and Levi Morrison, of Green-  
ville, Pa., was chosen a member of  
the board of trustees for three years.  
In the resolutions adopted the con-  
gress goes on record as favoring fed-  
eral improvement of all practical wa-  
ys and prohibition of manufacture  
and sale of intoxicating liquors.

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duced 509 vessels during 1907, as  
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## BASEBALL NEWS

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Clubs.			
Chicago	91	54	.635
New York	92	53	.631
Pittsburgh	91	55	.621
Philadelphia	78	67	.537
Cincinnati	71	78	.477
Boston	63	81	.439
St. Louis	19	100	.159
Brooklyn	48	98	.328

### At New York.

New York, Sept. 29.—By splitting  
a double header with Philadelphia  
while Chicago and Pittsburgh were  
winning in the west, New York retin-  
quished the first place in the pennant  
race and Chicago now leads by a  
single point with Pittsburgh a close  
third.

The locals won the first game hand-  
ily, while the visitors shut them out  
in the second.

Score: R H E  
New York..... 5 7 1  
Philadelphia..... 2 8 2  
Batteries—Matheisson, Hresman  
and Neerham; McQuillan, Doolin and  
Jacklitch.

### Second Game.

Score: R H E  
New York..... 0 6 3  
Philadelphia..... 7 11 1  
Batteries—Taylor, Hresman and  
Neerham; Covaleski and Doolin.

### At Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Sept. 30.—Chicago con-  
quered hits with Ewing's passes and  
won easily.  
Score: R H E  
Cincinnati..... 2 9 2  
Chicago..... 5 8 1  
Batteries—Ewing, Savage and  
Schlei; Brown and Kling.

### At Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 30.—The locals  
won two games. In the first Canitz  
allowed but one hit.  
Score: R H E  
Pittsburgh..... 7 14 0  
St. Louis..... 0 1 5  
Batteries—Canitz and Gibson;  
Hightbotham and Hiltz.

### Second Game.

Score: R H E  
Pittsburgh..... 6 7 2  
St. Louis..... 5 9 2  
Batteries—Maddox, Willis and Gib-  
son; Rhodes, Sailer, Fromme and  
Hiltz.

### At Boston.

Boston, Sept. 29.—Lindaman was  
hit hard but was effective with men  
on base.  
Score: R H E  
Boston..... 5 8 0  
Brooklyn..... 2 9 2  
Batteries—Lindaman and Graham;  
Bell and Farmer.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Clubs.			
Detroit	86	61	.585
Cleveland	86	62	.581
Chicago	85	62	.578
St. Louis	82	65	.558
Boston	70	76	.479
Philadelphia	65	79	.451
Washington	61	81	.430
New York	48	97	.331

### At Cleveland.

Score: R H E  
Cleveland..... 5 10 2  
Philadelphia..... 4 4 4  
Batteries—Burger and Bemis, Pla-  
ter and Egan.

### Second Game.

Score: R H E  
Cleveland..... 9 10 1  
Philadelphia..... 0 8 1  
Batteries—Hulse and Land; Kel-  
logg and Egan.

### At Chicago.

Score: R H E  
Chicago..... 5 7 0  
Boston..... 1 3 0  
Batteries—Wynn and Schreck;  
Donohue, Hurdell and Wood.

### Second Game.

Score: R H E  
Chicago..... 2 7 2  
Boston..... 0 5 1  
Batteries—Walsh and Schreck;  
Steele and Donohue.

### At Detroit.

Score: R H E  
Detroit..... 4 10 1  
Washington..... 1 3 0  
Batteries—Wilber and Seandlt;  
Witherup, Johnson, Street and Ko-  
hoe.

### Second Game.

Score: R H E  
Detroit..... 7 10 3  
Washington..... 3 11 2  
Batteries—Summers and Seandlt;

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received from men and women in all walks of life, both old and young,  
who have been cured and benefited by the use of the world's  
greatest medicine. Beware of imitations and substitutes offered by unre-  
liable dealers who tell you they are "just as good as" Duffy's Pure Malt  
Whiskey. Insist on the genuine. It will cure you.

Score:	At St. Louis.	Score:	Second Game.	At St. Louis.
St. Louis.....	6 4 2	St. Louis.....	2 6 1	St. Louis.....
New York.....	0 5 6	New York.....	1 6 1	New York.....
Batteries—	Howell and Spencer.	Batteries—	Dinsen and Smith, Man	Batteries—
King and Blair				

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## India's Precious Metals.

It is estimated that \$1,500,000,000 in gold, and perhaps as much in silver, is hidden away in the Hindu stockpiles. Vast quantities of the precious metals are known to be kept in the form of personal ornaments. From time immemorial India has been a reservoir into which the precious metals have flowed from all quarters of the globe, only to disappear from statistics. Could the idle wealth be drawn upon, the effect of the industrial and commercial life of the country would be very great. It is, therefore, a matter of concern to try to turn India's dormant capital to active use. It may be impossible to do it. The Oriental mind views everything in a way incomprehensible to Westerners. But if only a tithe of the concealed hoards of India were vitalized a new aspect might be given to the conditions of life in England's great Eastern Empire. *Baltimore Sun.*

## Long Lived People in the South.

While it may be true that the white man loses in intellectual and bodily power in the tropics, Dr. Lang Sabon maintains, as a result of recent researches, that the average Arab lives twenty-five years longer, than the average Esquimaux; that the coast people of South America are longer lived than the mountain people; that old age is much commoner in the southern countries of Europe than in the northern countries, and that Spain (with a population similar by 3,000,000) has 401 centenarians to England's 116. *—Army and Navy Journal.*

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## LETTERS STOLEN SAYS ARCHBOLD

New Phase of Standard Oil Correspondence Sprung by Hearst

Says That Copy Books Were Stolen and Heinrich Munn Several Pages.

DETAILS ARE MADE KNOWN

New York, Sept. 30.—A new phase of the discussion of the so-called "Standard Oil correspondence," made public recently by William H. Hearst, was entered upon late yesterday when John D. Archbold, vice-president of the Standard Oil company, made a statement setting forth the details of the alleged theft of correspondence from his files.

Former United States Senator John Lowndes McLaurin, of South Carolina, also entered the field with signed statements declaring his attitude in the matter of the correspondence between himself and Archbold.

Archbold says that three years ago it was reported that certain of his letters, allegedly stolen, had been offered for sale to the newspapers.

These letters could have been taken only by some highly trusted person. One suspect stoutly denied his guilt, but later a go-between offered to return some of the letters for a consideration.

It was said by this person that his brother had induced a trusted employee, already suspected, to steal them, and that some had been sold to a representative of Hearst's paper.

Copybooks were also stolen, according to Archbold, some of the pages removed and others photographed. Some of the correspondence was returned at that time, and the other letters have been produced by Hearst.

Senator McLaurin says that he has no apologies to make for his correspondence with Archbold. He says he was then engaged in a bitter struggle which involved his own political future and the principles for which he stood, and he saw no impropriety in "seeking the assistance of the most progressive administration and the most intelligently organized corporation that human intelligence has yet produced."

Until the running of political campaigns without money can be achieved he sees no reason why he should refuse to seek and accept the support he needed.

## OMITTED THIS YEAR'S WORK.

President Is Reminded of More Than Has Been Accomplished.

Washington, Sept. 30.—President Roosevelt today made public a letter from the interstate commerce commission pointing out that the president in his last reply to Wm. J. Bryan did not include the present year's work in his reference to prosecutions under the interstate commerce law, and saying the facts are even more impressive than the reply showed. The letter which was from John H. Marble, attorney of the commission, gives a list of ten railroad companies against which indictments have been found this year and five shippers indicted for receiving rebates. It also lists several traffic officials against whom indictments have been returned and several instances where corporations have been convicted of giving or receiving rebates.

## Before the Rain.

Clouds are dusky and still.  
Nature's waiting for the rain:  
Birds have ceased their song until  
They can feel the sun again.  
Trees are waiting, patient too,  
Hushed and silent as they stand.  
Till the breeze comes sailing through  
Freshening all the weary land.

Water's rippling like a song  
Where the willows bend above,  
Gently coaxing it along  
With a tender mother-love.  
The long grasses lift and sway  
To the music's mystic flow  
In a dance of selfish play  
Mirrored in the stream below.

Sentinel poplars, straight and tall,  
Upward turn their shining leaves  
And the tree-tops scrape and call  
In a tune that caddy grieves.  
There's a brooding tenderness  
That's so sweet it starts a pain  
Yearning through and through your heart.

Then—here comes the driving rain.  
—Grace G. Hostwick, in the September Everybody's.

The greatest heat is never found on the equator, but some ten degrees to the north, while more severe cold has been registered in Northern Siberia than has been found near the pole.



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## ANDREW MELOAN

DIES AT HOME AT MURRAY OF TYPHOID FEVER.

Was Noted as Violin Player and Successful Horseman, Though Blind Since Boyhood.

Murray, Ky., Sept. 30.—The burial and funeral of Andrew M. Melon, aged 73, was conducted at the city cemetery yesterday morning.

Mr. Melon was one of the oldest citizens of Murray and though blind for 50 years he was remarkably active and was in splendid health until four weeks ago when he became ill of typhoid fever from which he died. He possessed a remarkable memory and was well informed on the political and military history of the United States and could give dates of important happenings readily. He gained fame in western Kentucky as a violin player and the money he earned from this source formed the nucleus of a small fortune. He was also a successful horse raiser, and notwithstanding his blindness, was considered the best judge of horseflesh in the county.

Andrew Melon was the son of Major Obadiah Melon, who served with distinction in the war with Mexico and was under General Richard P. Johnston in the Indian wars, be-

ing a survivor of the River Raisin massacre.

He leaves one sister, Mrs. A. H. Wear, of Murray, and a large number of nieces and nephews, among whom are John Melon, of the Paris, Tenn., Trianon; Perry Melon, of the Paducah Sun; J. V. Wear, of the Benton Tribune, and W. D. Wear, of the Murray Times.

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## NOVEL SCHEME.

Congressman Sherman Goes Campaigning in Trolley Car.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—A somewhat novel campaign speech-making tour by trolley through many Illinois towns was begun by James S. Sherman, Republican vice-presidential nominee, who left here for Watseka, Ill., where he delivered an address.

With Mr. Sherman's party was Congressman Nicholas Longworth, who will also make speeches at the various stops. Mr. Longworth joined the party in Chicago and expects to remain with Mr. Sherman as long he stays in Illinois.

From Watseka the party went to Danville. Speaker Joseph G. Cannon's home, for an evening meeting. It was said in political circles that Mr.

Sherman's trip to Speaker Cannon's district was being made for the express purpose of adding the speaker's position. After the Danville meeting Congressman Wm. B. McKinley will place at the disposal of Mr. Sherman a private car which will carry the campaigning party over various trolley lines connecting Champaign, Monticello and other towns. From the rear platform of the trolley car Mr. Sherman will make short speeches at cross roads and in rural communities in an appeal for the farmer vote.

Following the Illinois and Indiana tour it is now definitely arranged that the candidate will speak in Toledo and Bryan, O., October 3; in Plaquemine and Columbus, October 7, and in Mansfield and Akron, October 8.

Mr. Sherman will return to his home in New York October 10. It was learned today that the Republican national campaign managers are anxious to have Mr. Sherman make a second trip through the west and it is practically settled that he will appear in St. Louis October 11 and make a number of addresses in Missouri. Following that he will speak in a number of towns in Maryland and Delaware, carrying the campaign into the east.

South African Hall Storm.

With the breaking of the day I went outside. The country was unrecognizable. The land and the scenery which I had known for years were entirely altered. The very hills, which I had known for years, were a different shape and torrents of muddy water poured down from all sides. And when the red sun rose into a clear bright sky the scene of

ruin and desolation was awful to look at.

Buildings had been buried to the ground and were nothing more than hills of rubble. A large dam I had spent two years in making had been completely swept away. In an-

other dam, which had remained unbroken, the hallstones had accumulated and piled themselves up over twenty feet in height! There was not a sign of water in this huge dam, just a huge dam of frozen hallstones. *—Wide World Magazine.*

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5.....5333	21.....5110
6.....5087	22.....5120
7.....5087	23.....5115
8.....5040	24.....5116
9.....5040	25.....5077
10.....5040	26.....5080
11.....5061	27.....5087
12.....5072	28.....5097
13.....5078	29.....5095
14.....5078	30.....5095
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**Increase.....1212**  
 Personally appeared before me this Sept. 3, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of August, 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.  
 My commission expires January 10, 1912.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT.

**County Court Clerk.**  
 The Sun is authorized to announce Hiram Smedley a candidate for reelection to the office of Clerk of the McCracken County Court subject to the action of the Democratic party.

**City Jailor.**  
 The Sun is authorized to announce Wade Brown a candidate for reelection to the office of city jailor, subject to the action of the Republican party.

### Daily Thought.

You may choose to play your part well or badly, but you do not choose your part.—Epictetus.

All that is left for Bryan to do is to write a nice letter about himself in answer to the Roosevelt letter to Taft.

Mr. Bryan shows what an unconscious humorist he is when he tells Judge Taft, after the latter has been so long in the public service, to go and make a record for himself.

Bryan's friends say 16 to 1 is a dead issue. The same will be said of the man who invented it after November 3.

From the rapidity and style of Judge Taft's answers, it is not likely that Bryan will invite him to speak any more.

In reply to the Roosevelt letter, Bryan attacks the Roosevelt policies. And yet he claims to have originated most of them.

**GOMPERS' MAN FOR TAFT.**  
 Evidence is plentiful that the effect of Gompers' attempt to influence labor for Bryan is not very productive of results. When the time comes to vote union labor men will be found exercising independence of action. Those that are employed will vote to have that employment continued, and those that are out of employment will vote for the man most likely to give it to him. Is there any one who sincerely believes that the chances for the return of good times would be as good if Bryan is elected as they would be under Taft?

A fresh illustration in point occurred at the noonday meeting in New York of the Commercial Travelers' Republican association. John W. Armstrong, an organizer for the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, who was sent to Maine by President Gompers to make speeches for the Democratic state ticket, came out for Taft and Sherman. In his speech he said:

"The men whom I have met and conversed with in the American Federation of Labor are, as a rule, of the opinion that it would be unwise to support Mr. Bryan. The election of Mr. Taft means the resumption of business upon safe and sound lines. I have an abiding faith in the intelligence and loyalty of the working men to vote for Mr. Taft and the party and principles that made it possible for our workingman to occupy the eminent position he does, as compared with the position occupied by the unfortunate brother in the Democratic south, where the Democratic party has opposed the enactment of factory laws, child labor laws and the organization of workmen."

## The Port of Missing Men.

**By Meredith Nicholson.**  
 Author of "The House of a Thousand Candles."

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(Continued from last issue.)

But the eyes of the three conspirators were fixed on Armitage. It was his life they sought. The others did not greatly matter. And so John Armitage rode across the little plain where the lost legion had camped for a year at the end of a great war, and as he rode on the defenders of the bowlder barricade saw his white face and noted the useless arm hanging and swaying in the breeze, and felt in spite of themselves the strength of his tall, erect figure.

Chauvenet, watching the silent rider, said aloud, speaking in German, "It is he! It is he! He is like a king."

But they could not hear the words that John Armitage kept saying over and over again as he crossed the field:

"He made me something for Austria—for Austria!"

"He is large, but he is a great fool. When he turns his horse we will fire on him," said Zmal.

Their eyes were upon Armitage, and in their lunatic fury they failed to note the increasing pace of Oscar's horse which was spurring slowly ahead.

When they saw that he would fire on him, they were silent.

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## The Port of Missing Men.

**By Meredith Nicholson.**  
 Author of "The House of a Thousand Candles."

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(Continued from last issue.)

But the eyes of the three conspirators were fixed on Armitage. It was his life they sought. The others did not greatly matter. And so John Armitage rode across the little plain where the lost legion had camped for a year at the end of a great war, and as he rode on the defenders of the bowlder barricade saw his white face and noted the useless arm hanging and swaying in the breeze, and felt in spite of themselves the strength of his tall, erect figure.

Chauvenet, watching the silent rider, said aloud, speaking in German, "It is he! It is he! He is like a king."

But they could not hear the words that John Armitage kept saying over and over again as he crossed the field:

"He made me something for Austria—for Austria!"

"He is large, but he is a great fool. When he turns his horse we will fire on him," said Zmal.

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### Do You Open Your Mouth

Like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you? Or, do you want to know something of the composition and character of that which you take into your stomach whether as food or medicine?

Most intelligent and sensible people now-a-days insist on knowing what they employ whether as food or as medicine. Dr. Pierce believes they have a perfect right to insist upon such knowledge. So he publishes, broadcast and on each bottle, a paper, what his medicines are made of and verifies it by analysis. This he feels he can well afford to do because the more the ingredients of which his medicines are made are studied and understood the more will their superior curative virtues be appreciated.

For the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses, irregularities and derangements, giving rise to frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down pain or distress in lower abdominal or pelvic region, accompanied, oftentimes, with a debilitating, pelvic, catarrhal drain and kindred symptoms of weakness, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a most efficient remedy. It is equally effective in curing painful periods, in giving strength to nursing mothers and in preparing the system of the expectant mother for baby's coming, thus rendering childbirth safe and comparatively painless. The "Favorite Prescription" is a most potent, strengthening tonic to the general system and to the organs directly feminine in character. It is also a soothing and invigorating nerve and cures nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neurasthenia, hysteria, chronic or acute indigestion, and other distressing nervous symptoms attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the distinctly feminine organs.

A host of medical authorities of all the several schools of practice, recommend each of the several ingredients of which Favorite Prescription is made for the cure of the diseases for which it is claimed to be a cure. You may read what they say for yourself by sending a postal card request for a free booklet of extracts from the leading authorities to Dr. J. C. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post.

who lifted his revolver until it covered Armitage's head.

"Drop that gun! Drop it quick!" And Dick Claborn swung the butt of his rifle high and brought it down with a crash on Chauvenet's head; then Armitage paused and glanced about and laughed.

It was Claborn who freed Durand from the dead horse, which had received the shots fired at Oscar the moment he rose at the wall. The fight was quite knocked out of the conspirator, and he swore under his breath, cursing the unconscious Chauvenet and the missing Zmal and the ill fortune of the fight.

"It's all over but the shouting. What's next?" demanded Claborn.

"The him up and tie the other one up," said Armitage, starting about queerly. "Where the devil is Oscar?"

"He's after the big fellow. You're badly fussed, old man. We've got to get out of this fix you up."

"I'm all right. I've got a hole in my shoulder that feels as hot and hot as a blast furnace. But we've got those nailed, and it's all right, old man."

Durand continued to curse things visible and invisible as he rubbed his leg, while Claborn watched him hungrily.

"If you start to run, I'll certainly kill you, non-sense!"

"We have met, my dear sir, under unfortunate circumstances. You should not take it too much to heart about the potato sack. It was the fruit of my dear colleagues, Ab. Armitage, you know, rather ill, but I trust you will harbor no harsh feelings."

(To be continued in next issue.)

**YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT**  
 Every dose makes you feel better. Last-For keeps your whole inside right. Sold on the money-back plan everywhere. Price 10 cents.

**CAUTION CUTS OFF SON.**

Loyalty to Actress-Mother Loses Fortune to Youth.

(Chicago, Sept. 30.—L. D. Carter, son of the late Leslie Carter, former president of the South Side elevated railroad, was cut off without a penny in the will of his father, which was probated yesterday.

"I leave nothing to my son, Leslie Dudley Carter, for the reason that he has left the home which I maintained for him without cause or justification," was one paragraph in the will.

"So long as he remains under his mother's influence, I do not desire either directly or indirectly to aid him," the will continues. "If he comes to understand the serious nature of his error and separates himself from his mother, I do not object to my brother and sister or either of them acting freely on his or her own judgment, treating him as I would have gladly done if he had been loyal and dutiful toward me."

In the will, which disposes of an estate valued at \$175,000, Mr. Carter appoints his sister, Helen Leslie Carter, and Charles E. Ling, both of Chicago, as executors. He bequeaths his entire fortune equally to his brother, Ernest, of New York, and his sister, Helen.

The son announced his intention of contesting the will.

**Notice to Patrons of Gregory Helgits Line.**

Beginning October 1, the Gregory Helgits car will be discontinued except on pleasant Sundays for the reason that there is not sufficient patronage to warrant furnishing the service.

**LOCATED THROUGH PRESS.**

**Missing Woman Is Found After Long Search.**

Jackson, Tenn., Sept. 30.—Mrs. Dallas Campbell, of R. F. D. 4, Bells, Tenn., formerly Miss Lillie Elmy West, of this county, has just been located through the local press. Her father in Indiana, from whom she was separated when quite young, is about to die and wanted to know her whereabouts, that she might come into possession of two legacies, which will make her independent.

## VACCINATION FOR TUBERCULOSIS

**Dr. Julius Bartel Arouses Tuberculosis Congress.**

Says Animals Have Been Successfully Immunized by His Wonderful Discovery.

### COST OF THE WHITE FLAG



## We wish to state once more and clearly

that our continued success is due almost entirely to our practice of keeping the goods the people want, selling them at reasonable prices and giving prompt and courteous service. This policy, we find, is a self-advertiser and needs very little help from the newspaper. Our prompt delivery service makes friends for us, too, for folks do appreciate getting medicine quickly.

**R. W. Walker Co.**  
INCORPORATED.

Druggists

Fifth and Broadway, Opposite Palmer House

## THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 440 1/2 Broadway, Phone 196.  
—Visit Page's short order restaurant, 123 South Second.  
—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.  
—The sale of wall paper at half price still continues at Kelly & Umbaugh's, 321 Kentucky avenue, both phones 665.  
—Veterinarians, Parley & Fisher, 1245, old; 351, new, Hospital 429 South Third.  
—All kinds of fall bulbs; also reliable lawn grass seed at Brunson's, 229 Broadway.  
—City subscribers to The Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the request direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers, Sun Publishing Co.  
—Nunbering machines, deters, rubber type, brass and aluminum checks, seals, Rubber stamps made to order. Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third, Phone 358.  
—Manicuring, hairdressing, scalp treatments and massaging. Lola Fisher, 614 Kentucky, phone 1852.  
—Henry Seamon, day driver of the patrol wagon, is ill at his home on South Third street and Thad Terrell, the night driver, is doubling up by driving the wagon out on calls during the night and the day.

### W. J. CLARK'S NEW TRAVELING POSITION.

M. W. J. Clark, representing the Arbuckle Brothers Coffee company, left this morning for Kuttawa on his initial trip. Mr. Clark has been with the Meyer-Schmidt-Clark Grocery company for the past five years and is an experienced man in selling groceries. Mr. Clark will represent this end of the state for the large house and his friends predict good success for him. Mr. Clark is affable, with good business judgment and popular besides. He was accompanied on his first trip by his brother, W. C. Clark.

### BIG FIRE AT JACKSON.

Five Buildings Destroyed in Tennessee Town—Loss About \$7,000.

Jackson, Tenn., Sept. 30.—Fire just after midnight yesterday destroyed two small stores and three negro houses, corner Institute and Tanyard streets. The fire originated in the grocery store of Hales, but the cause is unknown. The total loss is about \$7,000; insurance \$2,000.

### Notice to Patrons of Gregory Heights Line.

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## Announcement

We take pleasure in announcing that Mr. Walter G. Iverson, formerly of the firm of Iverson & Wallace, Seventh and Washington streets, is now connected with

**Gilbert's Drug Store**  
Fourth and Broadway

where he will be glad to see his old friends and patrons.

## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

### Birthday Party.

Little Miss Lola Clara Georgina Brabie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brabie, of 829 Jones street, celebrated her first birthday Saturday, September 26. The little folk had a nice time together. The prize cake was cut and Master Paul Jordan won the prize. Those present were: Paul Jordan, Robert Harper, Fettes, Darr, Willie Armonett, Maude Brabie, Lucille Betz, Mary Armonett, Irma Armonett, Christina Dorr, Emma Hazotte, Mattie Farrel, Mrs. Milt Jordan, Mrs. Mary Dorr, Mrs. Emma Cornhill, Mrs. August Brabie, Mrs. Chris Betz, Mrs. Josie Thompson, Mrs. Eddie Brabie, Mrs. Thompson, Mr. August Hazotte and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brabie.

### Entertained at Fulton.

The following clipping from the Fulton Leader will be of interest here Friday afternoon at her charming home on Carr street, Mrs. Mott Ayres delightfully entertained a number of her friends at bridge whist. Three tables were filled with players and as usual the fascinating game held them until the gentle tap of the gong announced the end of the afternoon's play. The prize, an elegant hand by Christie, was won by Mrs. Bruce Knox, of Memphis, Tenn. Dainty refreshments were served.

Among those present were: Mesdames Charles Gregory, T. H. Bowman, O. Skinner, G. L. Byrns, R. M. Alford, Bruce Knox, H. H. Buckner, F. L. Freeman, Ed Webb, G. A. Hollingsworth, Samuel McCall, A. B. Whayne, H. H. Freeman and Misses Georgia Pierce, Clara Savage and Mary Carr.

### Married at Mayfield.

Miss Love Allen, of Mayfield, and Mr. J. A. Snyder, of Chicago, were married Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Methodist church in Mayfield, the Rev. J. W. Blackard officiating.

The bride was attended by Miss Lavie Allen, her sister, and the host man was Mr. J. H. Pifton, of Chicago. The ushers were: Messrs. Vic Allen, Willard Balock, Jewell Hoffield and Grover Brown. After the wedding the couple were given a reception at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Allen. The couple left for Auburn, Ky., to visit relatives in the bride, after which they will go to Chicago to make their home.

Miss Allen is well known in Paducah, having frequently visited Miss Lucile Blackard, Mr. Snyder is a Pullman conductor with a run between Chicago and Los Angeles, and is an energetic young man.

### Executive Committee Meeting.

The executive board of the Woman's club held a meeting this morning at 10 o'clock with Mrs. J. A. Rudy, president, and arrangements were completed for the first open meeting of the Woman's club tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the club building.

Proceeding the open meeting tomorrow afternoon a business meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock and all members of the club are expected to be present. The open meeting will be held under the direction of the literary department of the club and in charge of Mrs. Muscoe Burnett, chairman of that department. The topic for the afternoon will be "The Development of the Short Story." Following is the program:

"Development of Short Story," illustrated—Mrs. Charles Turner.

Ancient Love Story told by the Rev. David C. Wright.

"Modern Love Story Characterized as a Crisis"—Miss Dow Husbands.

Child's Story, told by Mrs. J. C. Flournoy.

Humorous Story, told by Dr. I. B. Howell.

Capt. Harce Bates returned to Golconda last night after a business trip in this city.

Mr. Spencer Johnston, of Sixth and Clark streets, returned home today from Indianapolis, after a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Miss Anita Keller left today for New York city to attend school at Benjamin Deane college.

Mrs. J. W. Keller accompanied her daughter, Miss Anita, to New York, and Mr. John W. Keller will meet his wife and daughter at Louisville and accompany them to New York.

Miss Mary Wheeler will leave Friday for New York city to attend the Gardner school.

The Rev. Dr. Blackard left today to attend the Methodist conference at Owensboro, Ky. He is not a delegate but merely goes as a visitor.

Attorney L. D. Threlkeld, of Smithland, came down today to see the elephants.

Mrs. Minnie Rankin and Miss May Owen, of Jefferson street, are visiting friends in Memphis.

Mrs. D. W. Pooks and Miss Georgia Berman have returned from an extended visit in southern California. Miss Berman stopped at Memphis for a several days' visit to her sister, Mrs. G. R. Halsey, before returning to Paducah.

Mr. Lloyd Gimes, traveling engineer for the Tennessee division of the Illinois Central railroad, was in Paducah today on business.

Mr. A. J. Leutenanier has gone to Springfield, O., on a visit.

Mr. George Bingham, of Mayfield, editor of the Howallow Kentuckian, was in the city today.

Col. James Lemon, editor of the Mayfield Messenger, was in the city today.

Mr. James Mulvin has returned from Memphis, where he visited friends for several days.

Mr. Chayton Hopwell is visiting in Mayfield.

Miss Lucy Woods has returned from a visit to Mayfield.

Miss Mamie Thomas is the guest of relatives near Pryorsburg.

Mrs. J. C. Farley and Mrs. R. L. Lang left Tuesday evening for Memphis.

Mr. Walter Gilbert, Mr. Boyd Gilbert and Mr. Thales Graham, of Murray, are visiting Attorney M. E. Gilbert, of Paducah.

Mrs. George Smith, of Slaughter, Ky., is visiting Mrs. C. W. Lewis, of 706 South Third street. She is a delegate to the W. C. T. U. convention.

Judge D. G. Park and daughter, Miss Margaret Park, have returned from a brief visit to Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bedrick, Mrs. Ed Butler and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Davidson, of Paducah, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Hickey, of 406 Washington avenue.—Calro Bulletin.

**DALLAS HAS COSTLY BLAZE.**

Loss \$150,000 to \$200,000 and Four Firemen Injured.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 30.—Fire which destroyed property variously estimated in value at between \$150,000 and \$200,000 in the heart of the business district of Dallas and resulted in the serious injury of several firemen who were caught beneath the falling floors of the liquor house of L. Craddock & Co., rased from 10 o'clock in the evening until after midnight before it was brought under control. All the fire apparatus in the city was brought to the scene of the fire.

The injured: Will Wolf, ladderman; Will Stampley, hoseman; Roy West, captain engine company, and A. L. Davis, hoseman.

All are expected to recover, although seriously bruised and cut about the face and body.

The chief property loss is suffered by L. Craddock & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, their loss being \$80,000.

William Kelley, furniture; Egan, Harry Electrical company, and S. J. Blakely, chinaware, also suffered losses.

**SHAH'S TROOPS BEATEN.**

Order Parliament to Meet in Hope of Restoring Order.

Herat, Sept. 30.—A dispatch from Tehran says the Imperial troops have suffered defeat at Tabriz and as a consequence, and on advice of members of his cabinet, the shah has decreed that parliament be opened October 30, hoping thus to secure tranquility. Considerable nervousness exists in court circles and troops are stationed around the palace in readiness to obey an order to march on Tabriz.

**FOR ELECTION.**

This morning John Elmd and R. A. Billingsley, charged with betting on an election, were tried and found guilty. They were fined \$100 each.

Clude Craig, charged with stealing a gold watch from ex-Policeman William Rogers, was given a continuance until the next term of court. The jury in the case failed to agree after a lengthy deliberation.

Court adjourned at noon for the day and will reconvene tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

**Civil Business.**

Z. H. Bryant, a petit juror, was finally discharged and John Hughes substituted.

On motion of Attorney D. G. Park Attorney David Browning was admitted to practice at the local bar and sworn in.

The following suits were dismissed: Brooks vs. Veal; Taylor vs. Taylor; Robertson vs. Katterjohn.

In the suit of Oliver vs. Lee, Roscoe Reed filed a report and was allowed \$5. Sanders E. Clay filed a report in the case of Munford vs. Munford, and was allowed \$5.

The master commissioner filed a report in the case of Dicke, administrator, vs. Dicke.

The master commissioner filed reports of sales in the following cases: Roby, administrator, vs. Stevenson; Rudolph, administrator, vs. Goodman; Miller vs. White; White vs. White.

**Deeds Filed.**

E. A. Nelson, et al., to T. A. Levy, 16 acres of land in the county, \$100.

W. C. O'Bryan to G. L. Crawford, property in the O'Bryan addition, \$75.

S. E. Holland to Lee Pottier, property at Seventh and Hoyt streets, \$700.

F. M. McElathery to Edgar W. Whittemore, property in the Whittemore north side addition, \$1 and other considerations.

**Marriage Licenses.**

Herby Davis and Bertha Floyd.

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**County Court.**

Chesterfield Harrell, assignee, filed a report showing a balance of \$227.62 with delayed collections and asked exemptions under the homestead law.

**In Police Court.**

Breach of peace—George Booth, colored, \$5 and costs. Carrying weapon concealed—Jim Hall, colored, continued until October 2; Grant Hall, colored, \$50 and costs and 20 days in the county jail. Drunk—Unknown, \$1 and costs. Breach of ordinance—Tom Winston, \$20 and costs. Using insulting language—W. A. Powell, continued until October 2. Malicious shooting and wound—W. A. Powell, continued until October 2. Murder—W. A. Powell, continued until October 3. Robbery—Bud Dobson, colored, held to answer and bond fixed at \$300.

**Held for Murder.**

Onah, Sept. 30.—Charles Edward Davis, charged with the murder of Dr. Frederick Ruston, was bound over to the district court in bond of \$10,000, which was signed by his two brothers.

A safe racetrack bet is one you didn't get there in time to make.

## NEWS OF COURTS

### Circuit Court.

Fines were the chief business in circuit court this morning and a number of women were fined for selling liquor without a license and for maintaining a "nuisance." Several malcontents were fined for furnishing liquor to minors.

The case against Maggie Stephon, charged with selling liquor without a license was dismissed. The cases against McGaughan and Elrod were also dismissed.

Ella Howe was fined \$25 for selling liquor without a license.

Charged with "nuisance" Alta Rogers was fined \$50.

Oscar Denker was fined \$50 for furnishing liquor to a minor.

The charge against R. L. Peacher for furnishing liquor to a minor was dismissed.

Dr. J. W. Pendley was dismissed on a charge of failing to register as a practicing physician.

The murder case against George Freeman, colored, was continued over until the second day of the January term of court. Freeman killed his sweetheart last winter in a restaurant on lower Kentucky avenue.

The grand jury put in a good day yesterday, returning six indictments this morning. They are as follows:

Ira McNary, grand larceny; Katie Hughes, alias Minnie Wilkerson, malicious cutting; Frank Grundy, grand larceny; Herbert Nicholson, forgery; Frank Leech, breaking and entering a railroad car; Newt Helm, housebreaking.

McNary is charged with stealing a bird dog of the value of \$20 from Major Purdie. The case is set for the sixth day.

Katie Hughes is charged with cutting Tom Jones. Frank Grundy is indicted for stealing \$45 from Willie Tolliver. The case is set for the fifth day.

Herbert Nicholson is charged with forging a note on the George H. Goodman company and cashing it at Cochran's shoe store. The check was for \$12.25 and made payable to Charles Lee. The case is set for the fourth day. Frank Leech's case is set for the fourth day. Newt Helm is charged with breaking into the home of Ed Williams and will be tried the fourth day.

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Onah, Sept. 30.—Charles Edward Davis, charged with the murder of Dr. Frederick Ruston, was bound over to the district court in bond of \$10,000, which was signed by his two brothers.

A safe racetrack bet is one you didn't get there in time to make.

It's all in our blades

**25¢**

**Make Shaving a Pleasure**

by providing yourself with the best BLADE. If the handle of your razor—or its holder—happened to be gold, studded with diamonds, that wouldn't insure a quick, easy and comfortable shave, would it? The practical value of a razor is its blade.

**THE "SHARP-SHAVER" 25¢ SAFETY RAZOR**

Is undeniably better than any other Safety Razor. We sell you the whole razor at 25¢, so as to create a market for our blades. "SHARP-SHAVER" blades are made of the finest steel, scientifically ground and honed to the highest degree of keenness. The frames are so "angled" to the face as to insure an easy and perfect shave.

Our Guarantee—"MONEY BACK IF YOU WANT IT."

"SHARP-SHAVER" extra blades 5 for 25¢.

"SHARP-SHAVER" Safety Razor, Silver-Plated Strippers 10¢ each.

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**On Sale Till Oct. 1st at**

**GEO. O. HART & SONS CO.**  
(Incorporated.)

**WANT ADS.**

Mr. William Guth can now attest to the value of The Sun's want column as an advertising medium. He had an ad. in the column a few days ago, and to date he has received 18 replies. Every day some user of the column reports a similar experience.

**THE ONLY wood and coal yard in the city.** Johnston Fuel Co. Phones 203.

**FURNISHED ROOMS**—Bath and electric lights. Two blocks from Broadway, 498 Washington.

**J. E. MORGAN** horse shoeing, general repairing, rubber tires, 403 South Third.

**FOR SALE**—New piano. Will sell at a reduction. Address C. J. caro Sun.

**FOR SALE**—Cook stove, house and kitchen furniture, 1102 Jefferson, Phone 2546.

**WANTED**—Girls, bottling department at Dreyfus, Well & Co., 115 North Second street.

**LOST**—Small gold locket with small diamond setting. Blag old phone 1658. Reward.

**IF YOU WANT Oak Stove or Heating Wood** any time during the year, and cut the length you want, call 203, Johnston Fuel Co.

**FOR RENT**—Five 3-room houses in good condition at \$1.50 per week. Apply 1123 North Twelfth. J. S. Hunt.

**BUY YOUR COAL** from C. M. Cagle. Carterville best lump, 12 cents; Pittsburg lump 14 cents delivered. New phone 975.

**WANTED**—Lady teachers to take dinner in private family; good table; one square from Franklin building V. G., care Sun.

**IF YOU have James Duffey** to do your cleaning and pressing your clothes will always look like new. Old phone 338-a.

**IF YOU WANT Kentucky or Pittsburg coal** that will please you, at reduced prices, call 203, Johnston Fuel Co.

**HAIR GOODS** made of cut hair and combings. Shampooing and dyeing. Lillian Robinson, 712 South Sixth, old phone 2114.

**LOST**—Ladies gold watch with black ribbon fob. Girl's picture inside of watch. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

**NIGHT SCHOOL**, one month free, unconditionally at Draughon's Practical Business College (Incorporated) 314 1/2 Broadway. Bring this notice.

**FOUND**—A pair of surgeon's artery forceps. Owner can recover same by calling at The Sun office and paying for this advertisement.

**FURNITURE Exchange**. Furniture packed for shipping, repaired, bought and sold, 205 South Third street. New phone 901-a.

**LOST**—White belt, with gold buckle attached, between 518 North Eighth and Catholic church. Finder please return to this office.

**WANTED**—Your name and address, if interested in gasoline engines, pumps, corn shellers, grinders and saw-rigs. The best on earth. S. E. Mitchell, Paducah.

**FOR RENT**—9-room house, 410 S. 10th, 90 foot lot, high and dry. Both hot and cold water. Modern plumbing. J. A. Rudy, 210 Broadway.

**ILLINOIS COAL and Feed Co.** 16th and Tennessee. Best Union Mine lump, egg or nut 12 cents per bushel; Pittsburg 14 cents delivered. Give us your order. New phone 738.

**NOTICE**—To the Public: Hillman's band has changed the name to Bing's orchestra, with the same men. For all orders see John Hillman. Old phone 1905-a.

**SALESMEN WANTED** to sell generators in own and surrounding towns. Our best selling specialists. Address, with reference, The Pioneer Manufacturing Co., Cleveland, O.

**GENERAL AGENTS AND CANNERS**—We have agents making \$20 daily selling "Empire" incandescent kerosene lamps, superior to all; guaranteed; write now; terms and prices. Empire Lighting Co., Sidney, N. Y.

**FOR RENT**—Four room flat; steam heat. Cochran apartments. New phone 1521. Old phone 939-a.

**LOST**—Pocketbook containing \$20 gold pieces and three notes. For information leading to recovery of same a \$50 reward will be paid at the Sun office.

**Photographs of Excursionists.**

Chief James Collins received three photographs today from some young people in St. Louis who made an excursion trip up the Tennessee river this summer. While the boat was landed at the wharf the party went to the city hall and while taking views of the city Chief Collins offered to give them a ride over the city in the patrol wagon. The party accepted and a picture was taken of the patrol wagon with Driver Seamon and Patrolman Rice. The young women expressed their thanks for the hospitality, and Chief Collins values the pictures highly.

**CAPTAIN IN COMMAND AT EDDYVILLE HERE.**

Captain J. M. DeWesse, of Company E, of the state guards, stationed at Eddyville, was in the city today. All of the troops have been on active guard for several months, but for the past several weeks the soldiers have had nothing to disturb them. Recently Captain DeWesse guarded Sanford Hall, the self-proclaimed rider, while he was on a visit to his old home. No attempts were made to assassinate him, but no openings were left by the soldiers. It is thought that the soldiers will be kept on duty in the night rider district until after Christmas, even should there not be any fresh outbreaks.

**HASKELL IS PREPARING**

To See W. R. Hearst for Accusing Him of Bribery.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 30.—Governor Haskell is preparing to bring suit in the next few days against Hearst because of the latter's charges concerning the governor's alleged connection with an attempt to bribe Frank S. Monnett for the Standard Oil company.

The suit will be brought in Missouri, probably at Kansas City. One reason given by Haskell for not bringing suit in Oklahoma is that Hearst may not complain of being sued where public sentiment might be against him.

**Notice.**

To Republican voters of Paducah: We are unable to reach all of you by mail, and as we post important bulletins at headquarters daily, you are kindly requested to call and look them over. It will keep you in touch with the situation. Notice of speaking, changes of dates, etc., and other information that will be interesting.

H. C. HOOVER, Sec'y.  
Telephone 266, old; 1400 new.

**Extra Policemen on Duty.**

In order to keep order in the city and at the show grounds, Chief of Police Collins has a number of the regular night men working extra this afternoon for a few hours. There are several thousand visitors in the city, but few cases of minor trouble have been reported.

**Sherman Club.**

The Sherman club will be organized Friday night at the colored Odd Fellows hall, Seventh and Adams streets. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock, and a large attendance is expected. There will be buttons and advertising matter for all that attend, and there will be speeches by good talkers.

—John Heath, of Birmingham, was the first circus victim. Heath went to the grounds with a few drinks under his belt, and he alleges that some one knocked him down. He began cursing and Patrolman Charles Clark took him in tow. He was charged with breach of the peace at the police station.

**Str. Bettie Owen Ferry**

For information apply to A. J. Hogan, Waiting-room, 120 Kentucky avenue, Phone 787.



## WE SAY

That "clothes don't make the man," but except his hands and face, they're all we see of him during business hours; and they reveal a good many things in his habits and character, so why not appear well dressed—by buying from the store that's cheaper than the rest?

*Gullett's*  
INCORPORATED  
312 BROADWAY

For when we sew this label on a suit YOU may pin your faith to it. It's a quality badge. Our aim has always been "BESTNESS." Nothing less would satisfy US or should YOU.

In fit, style, tailoring and diversity of models, colorings and fabrics, our fall suits not only court but command your attention.

**Suits \$5 to \$30**

### BUY SERMONS

CLERGYMEN MAY PURCHASE THEM FOR 25 CENTS EACH.

New York-Publishing Company Sends Out Circulars to New England Ministers.

New York, Sept. 30.—For 25 cents a week, or \$10 a year, clergymen may now obtain sermons from 2,500 to 2,500 words in length and described by the seller as being "strictly up to date and containing no illusions to current affairs and matters of national interest."

Clergymen in Manhattan have received letters addressed "Dear Brother," and circulars containing sample sermons from the publishers which are for sale. The concern which offers this sermon service for 25 cents a week, or six months for \$5, is the "homiletic department of a publishing house which has offices in the

downtown district.

No patron, says the circular to clergymen, need fear an accusation to plagiarism. We sell the clergymen our work and he has a right to use what he purchases as seems best to him. The sermons are mailed in New York every Friday morning in plain sealed envelopes. They are evangelic in tone. They enable the clergyman to get along with fewer homiletic hooks and magazines, and the terms put this unique service within the reach of the poorest minister. We shall not furnish our service to more than one minister in any given city or town.

The circular states that the sermons are prepared by a pastor in active service who understands the mind of the average pastor in the direction of sermon making and who has special ability as a writer of good sermons.

She Would Never Rise.  
"I heard today Miss Bond's grand-father was a baker."

"He must have been a poor one."  
"Why do you say that?"  
"She is so heavy."—Puck.

Subscribe for The Sun.

### WILD GOATS IN HAWAII.

Destroy Young Trees—Hunting Animals Popular Diversion.

The wild goat of Hawaii has in recent years become a serious menace to agriculture in various parts of the territory. Secure among the almost inaccessible cliffs of the mountains, thousands of these nimble animals find a congenial home, and although no systematic efforts have as yet been inaugurated for exterminating them, they are nevertheless extremely wary and difficult to approach.

All of the islands in the group have large areas of extremely broken and rugged mountain country, of so value except for the watersheds they afford, but this is of the greatest importance. Although the rainfall on the windward sides of the island is very heavy, in some instances ranging as high as twenty or thirty inches a month, the lee sides in many cases get almost no rain at all, all the moisture being wrung from the steady northeast trade winds by the chill of the high altitude of the great volcanic ranges over which they pass.

These dry districts in many instances have splendid soils, and extensive irrigation systems have been built to carry the water from the wet sides of the mountains in order that they may be cultivated. But owing to the precipitous nature of the mountains and the porous character of the volcanic formations, without a good covering of forest growth to hold the rain the greater part of it runs off the ocean in foaming torrents almost as fast as it is precipitated.

The territorial government is doing much in the way of forest planting, and in the encouragement of forestry, but its work has in some instances at least been undone by the wild goats and cattle. Not only do the goats destroy the foliage of the smaller vegetation, but when they supply falls short they dig out and eat the tender roots.

Goat hunting is a popular diversion in some parts of the territory and as a sport is by no means to be despised. Although the animals are numerous, it requires some hard tramping and climbing to get to their haunts, and then a true aim and good eye for distance in order to have much success. Occasionally parties are organized and a week or more spent in goat shooting, with the result that sometimes several hundred are slaughtered.—Honolulu Correspondence Forest and Stream.

It Can't Be Beat.  
The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I had Electric Bitters do all that's claimed for it. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine." Mr. Harden is right; it's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all run down conditions. Best too for chills and malaria. Sold under guarantee at all druggists, 50c.

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## OHIO LEADS ALL THE STATES IN POTTERY PRODUCTS

Ohio was the leading pottery producing state, with wares valued at \$13,533,199, or 44.90 per cent of the total. This is a decrease of \$457,160, or 3.27 per cent, from the value of the wares in 1906, which was \$14,000,359, or 44.50 per cent of the total. In 1905 the value of the Ohio wares was \$13,024,071, or 46.65 per cent of the total.

New Jersey was second in rank in 1907, with wares valued at \$6,855,626, or 23.18 per cent of the total, as compared with a value of \$7,282,658, or 23.16 per cent of the total, for wares produced in 1906.

West Virginia, fifth in rank in 1907, passed both New York and Pennsylvania and became third in 1907, with wares valued at \$2,159,132, or 7.16 per cent of the total, as compared with wares valued at \$1,588,555, or 5.95 per cent of the total, in 1906—an increase in 1907 of \$570,577, or 35.93 per cent.

New York was fourth in both 1906 and 1907, the value of the product in the latter year being \$1,934,498, a gain of \$66,151, or 3.51 per cent.

Pennsylvania, which was third in 1906, with wares valued at \$2,410,817, was fifth in 1907, the value of the wares decreasing to \$1,709,878, a loss of \$1,100,939, or 45.67 per cent.

Great Pottery Centers.

The two leading pottery states—New Jersey and Ohio—produced in 1907 more than 68 per cent of the pottery of the entire country. In New Jersey 93.22 per cent of the total for the State was made in Trenton; in Ohio the great pottery center is East Liverpool, but its proportion of the state's total in 1907 was much less than that of Trenton, being but 12.33 per cent. In 1906 these cities produced, respectively, 93.25 per cent and 43.98 per cent of the state totals. Together the two cities produced 40.63 per cent of the value of the pottery for the whole country in 1907, Trenton contributing 21.63 per cent and East Liverpool 19 per cent.

Value of Products of Different Classes.

The wares known as "C. C." "white granite," "semiprecious," and "semivitreous porcelain," representing the general household wares and composing the bulk of what is known as "pottery," are from a monetary standpoint the most important pottery products of this country, their value amounting in 1907 to \$13,913,680. As compared with the value of these products in 1906, this is a decrease of \$238,253, or 1.69 per cent. It is, however, a gain of 1.12 per cent over the value of such wares produced in 1905. Ohio was the leading producer, reporting wares valued at \$9,119,569, or 65.50 per cent of the whole. West Virginia stood second, with wares valued at \$1,588,555, or 11.42 per cent. In 1907, with products valued at \$1,709,878, or 12.5 per cent.

The most interesting of the pottery products—china, including bone china, delft, and hollow ware—showed a slight increase in value from \$1,787,776, in 1906 to \$1,900,000, in 1907, a gain of 7.99 per cent. As in previous years, these products were reported from but four states—New Jersey at the head and New York second. These states produced nearly all the china made in this country.

Red earthenware was reported from 32 states, with Massachusetts at the head, Pennsylvania second, and Ohio third in value of products. In 1906 Ohio stood first, Massachusetts second, and Pennsylvania third. The total value of this ware in 1907 was \$843,465, as compared with \$800,262 in 1906—a loss of \$43,797, or 5.48 per cent. As compared with the value of the product in 1905, however, the 1907 value is greater by \$61,828, or 8.30 per cent.

Stoneware and yellow and black-glazed wares were reported from 30 states in 1906 and from 29 in 1907. Montana dropped from the list. Ohio was the leading producer, reporting in 1907 wares valued at \$1,318,213, or 38.5 per cent of the whole. Illinois was second and Pennsylvania third in both years. The total value of these products in 1907 was \$1,280,601, a gain over the value in 1906 of 2.07 per cent.

Sanitary ware and products of the pottery electric supply branches of the pottery industry, being used almost exclusively in construction, showed a decline in value as the result of the decrease in building operations. The output of sanitary ware in 1907 came from seven states, the value amounting to \$1,863,222. Of this total 74.35 per cent was reported by New Jersey. Indiana was second and West Virginia third in production. The value of the porcelain electric supply products in 1907 amounted to \$2,613,771—a decrease of 7.31 per cent when compared with the

value of the products in 1906, but a considerable increase over the value of the products in 1905, a year of great prosperity.

Imports, Exports, and Consumption.

The pottery imports into the United States in 1907 were valued at \$12,585,812 and the domestic production at \$30,113,474, a total of \$42,729,286. After deducting the exports (domestic \$1,131,611 and foreign \$26,558), there appears to have been a net consumption of pottery products valued at \$41,569,997, of which the domestic production was 98.2 per cent, as against 72.26 per cent in 1906. Although the proportion of domestic production to consumption declined slightly in 1907, as in previous years has been steadily upward, and it will no doubt continue to increase until the domestic

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## To Our CUSTOMERS

From October 1st no deliveries will be made after 7 p. m. during the week with the exception of Saturday night, when we will keep open until 10 o'clock, our usual hour. Kindly phone your orders in due time for prompt delivery.

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S. H. WINSTEAD, Druggist  
Seventh and Broadway.  
Phones 756

Be Progressive and up to date, and board your horse at a Barn that keeps abreast of the times. The days for cleaning horses with the old fashioned curry comb and brush have past. We use a Grooming Machine. It does the work better and quicker and your horse will appreciate the change and show it by doing better work for you.

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Opens Thursday, Oct. 1

We are receiving new books and new music every day. We now have a most excellent selection on hand. Our prices are very low. Look out for special announcement of worth while bargains.

**D. E. WILSON, The Book and Music Man**

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Young Men and Women for positions of trust, where intelligent service will be appreciated and paid for—

Experienced Men and Women for positions requiring ability and tact—

People of All Ages, of all talents, of diverse abilities, for suitable lines of employment—

Used Things—such as Pianos, Organs, Every Sort of Musical Instrument, Writing Machines, Cash Registers, Store and Office Fixtures, Talking Machines, Books, Engravings, Post-Cards, Stamp Collections, Rugs, Carpets, Furniture of every kind—

Horses and Carriages, trucks, business wagons, bicycles, guns, cameras, fishing tackle, automobiles—

Real Estate—lots, plots, acres, leaseholds, equities, houses, flats, apartments, stores—

Instruction in painting, singing, the violin and piano, short-hand, accounting, correspondence, language, dancing—

Places to Live—houses, apartments, furnished rooms, boarding places where life is interesting.

These are some of the thousands of people and things that are "wanted" in this city just now, and if you can fill any of these "wants"

**INQUIRE OF THE PUBLIC**  
Through a SUN Want Advertisement.



## WOMAN'S NIGHTMARE

No woman can be happy without children; it is her nature to love them as much as it is the beautiful and pure. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass is so full of dread that the thought fills her with apprehension. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either very painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend** prepares the system for the coming event, and it is passed without any danger. This remedy is applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the crisis with but little suffering.

Book containing information of value to all expectant mothers mailed free.

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

## MOTHER'S FRIEND

### Notice of an Election.

To the Voters of the City of Paducah: All legal voters of the city of Paducah are hereby notified that at the next regular election held in the city of Paducah an election will be held by me in pursuance of a notice served upon me by the board of education of the city of Paducah to ascertain the sense of the voters of said city upon the proposition to authorize the board of education of the said city to issue \$100,000.00 bonds to be issued and used in the future from time to time as the public schools of the city may find it necessary.

JOHN W. OGILVIE,

Sheriff of McCracken County.

This Sept. 22, 1908.

### The Man Who Is Always

"Just Going To."

He meant to insure his home, but it turned before he got around to it. He was just going to pay a note when it went to protest.

He was just going to help a neighbor when he died.

He was just going to send some flowers to a sick friend when it proved too late.

He was just going to reduce his debt when his creditors "shut down" on him.

He was just going to stop drinking and dissipating, when his health became wrecked.

He was just going to provide proper protection for his wife and family when his fortune was swept away from him.

He was just going to introduce a

better system into his business when it went to smash.

He was just going to call on a customer to close a deal when he found his competitor had preceded him and secured the order.

He was just going to quit work awhile and take a vacation when nervous prostration came.

He was just going to provide his wife with more help when she took to her bed and required a nurse, a doctor and a maid.—Success.

### Just Exactly Right.

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for several years, and find them just exactly right," says Mr. A. A. Felton, of Harrisville, N. Y. New Life Pills relieve without the least discomfort. Best remedy for constipation, biliousness and malaria. 25c. at all druggists.

### A Dreadful Thought.

One day Mary, the charwoman, recruited for service with a black eye.

"Why, Mary," said her sympathetic mistress, "what a bad eye you have!"

"Yes'm."

"Well, there's one consolation it might have been worse."

"Yes'm."

"You might have had both of them hurt."

"Yes'm. Or worse'n that: I might not have been married at all."—Everybody's.

A young inventor of Lyons, France is said to have solved the problem of the transmission of electric energy without the use of wires.

## THE RUBINAT OF A SCOTCH HIGHBALL

By O. HENRY.

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THIS document is intended to strike somewhere between a temperance lecture and the "Barrender's Guide." Relative to the latter, drink shall swell the theme and be set forth in abundance. Agreeably to the former, not an elbow shall be crooked.

Bob Bahhitt was "on" the stuff, which means, as you will discover by referring to the unabridged dictionary of Bohemia, that he had "cut out the booze;" that he was "on the water wagon." The reason for Bob's sudden attitude of hostility toward the "demon rum," as the white, ribbons miscellany (see the "Barrender's Guide"), should be of interest to reformers and saloon keepers.

There is always hope for a man who when sober will not concede or acknowledge that he was ever drunk. But when a man will, in the apt words of the phrase shifter, "I had a beautiful skale on last night," you will have to put stuff in his coffee as well as pray for him.

One evening on his way home Bahhitt dropped in at the Broadway bar that he liked best. Always there were three or four fellows there from the downtown offices whom he knew. And then there would be highballs and stories, and he would hurry home to dinner a little late, but feeling good and a little sorry for the poor Standard Oil company. On this evening as he entered he heard some one say, "Bahhitt was in last night as full as a boiled owl."

Bahhitt walked to the bar and saw in the mirror that his face was as white as chalk. For the first time he had looked Truth in the eyes. Others had lied to him; he had dissembled with himself. He was a drunkard and had not known it. What he had fondly imagined was a pleasant exhilaration had been maudlin intoxication. His fancied wit had been driven, his gay humors nothing but the noisy vagaries of a nut. But never again!

"A glass of seltzer," he said to the bartender.

A little silence fell upon the group of his cronies, who had been expecting him to join them.

"Going out the stuff, Bob?" one of them asked politely and with more formality than the highballs ever called for.

"Yes," said Bahhitt.

Some one of the group took up the unwashed thread of a story he had told forth.

"When Bob got home that evening he found Jessie in a long apron cutting up a bolster for the newburg. Usually when Bob came in mellow from his hour at the bar his welcome was hilarious, though somewhat flattered with Scotch smoke.

By screams and snatches of song and certain audible testimonials to domestic felicity was his advent proclaimed. When she heard his foot on the stairs the old maid in the hall room always stuffed cotton into her ears. At first Jessie had shrunk from the rudeness and flavor of these spiritual greetings, but as the fog of the false Bohemia gradually encompassed her she came to accept them as love's true and proper greeting.

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They met one or two couples while dining out and became friendly with them. The sideboard was stocked with Scotch and rye and a liqueur. They had their new friends in to dinner, and all were laughing at nothing by 1 a. m. Some plastering fell in the room below them, for which Bob had to pay \$4.50. Thus they footed it merrily on the ragged frontiers of the country that has no boundary lines or government.

And soon Bob fell in with his cronies and learned to keep his foot on the little rail six inches above the floor for an hour or so every afternoon before he went home. Drink always rubbed him the right way, and he would reach his rooms as jolly as a sandboy. Jessie would meet him at the door, and generally they would dance some insane kind of a rigodon about the floor by way of greeting. Once when Bob's feet became confused and he tumbled headlong over a footstool Jessie laughed so heartily and long that he had to throw all the couch pillows at her to make her laugh.

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An old-fashioned English stone-mason is employed in a yard in upper Hoboken to chisel tombstones. He makes \$3.40 a day, as against \$2.44 of the old country. He lost his job last week, and there was some protest, to which the manager replied:

"He is a splendid workman, but he is always getting into trouble. Why, the other day a party ordered a headstone with this inscription: 'A Virtuous Woman is a Crown to Her Husband.' You see, he wanted some thing for his departed wife's grave. What do you suppose our Englishman learned from?"—Punch.

did? The stone being a little narrow, he contracted the sentence thus: "A Virtuous Woman is As To Her Husband." As we couldn't stand the 5 shilling business, we had to drop him."—Kansas City Journal.

Sassenbach Humorist (amusing him self at the expense of Highland cad-die)—Hoots, ye ken, ma wae hit lad-die, you was uae so muckie had a virtuous woman is a crown to her husband. You see, he wanted some thing for his departed wife's grave. What do you suppose our Englishman learned from?"—Punch.

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## DR. BATON

OF CHICAGO DELIVERS ADDRESS  
AT W. C. T. U. CLOSING.State Union Was Hurt By Financial  
Depression—The Closing Day's  
Session.

The W. C. T. U. state convention closed at the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church last night with a brilliant address delivered by Dr. Baton, of Chicago, one of the prohibition national committee. He spoke in a scholarly and masterly style and entertained a large audience with his brilliant remarks.

The president, Mrs. Frances E. Henschamp, then closed the five days' convention, thanking the women for their attendance and support and paying a tribute to the Paducah women who entertained them royally. The delegates remained over until this morning, when they returned to their homes well pleased with the results of the convention.

The union this year ran "in the hole" and is several thousand dollars in debt. This is attributed to the financial depression which existed all over the country. The W. C. T. U. Settlement school at Hindman, Ky., is accomplishing remarkable results and its work last year was a credit to the W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. wave is far reaching, these being organizations all over the globe. The fight being made by the union is remarkable and it is trying to down the liquor traffic everywhere.

**HAILEY RETIREMENT REMOVED.**  
Talk of Resignation of Texan Follows  
Sale of His Realty.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 30.—Reports coming from several sources today that Senator Bailey intends to resign his seat in the senate are given credence from the fact that Bailey during the last two weeks sold a large amount of his private property in and near Galveston, his home. He disposed of one of his North Texas farms for \$12,000 and another for \$8,000. Several lots in Galveston were also sold by him, and he has given no reason for converting his property into cash.

It is pointed out by leading Democrats here that Bailey has taken no part in the state or national campaign this time and has made no contribution, and this is taken as evidence that he expects to resign, although, if he does, he likely will delay until January, when the legislature meets.

Bailey is now in the east. He went to Washington a week ago to put his younger son in school there.

**OLNEY HAS NOTHING TO SAY.**  
Refuses to Make Reply to President  
Roosevelt's Statement.

Houston, Sept. 30.—Former Secretary of State and Attorney General Richard Olney, who was referred to in the letter of President Roosevelt to Mr. Bryan in connection with a statement concerning prosecutions against trusts under the Cleveland administration, refused to make any comment. Mr. Olney was asked if later he would make a statement and said: "No, nothing."

**MARCH TUTTLES BY DEAD MEN.**  
Teachers Use Bodies of Whisky Victims as Temperance Lesson.

Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 30.—Believing that the local option law would cut off the whisky supply Charles Thompson and Charles and William Lindley on Sunday took a jug of whisky to a graced pit to have a farewell drink. Thompson and William Lindley were found dead in the gravel pit and Charles Lindley was found lying near the bodies in a dying condition. Teachers and pupils of the Greenstone school, near the pit, marched past the bodies to give the children an object lesson in temperance.

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## GOV. WILLSON SPEAKS HERE OCTOBER 6

Paducah will be honored by a visit of Governor Augustus E. Willson October 6, when he will deliver an address in the Auditorium rink. This announcement was made last night by Alderman W. T. Miller at the meeting of the delegates. Governor Willson spoke in Paducah last year in the campaign, but rain broke up the crowd, and he promised Alderman Miller that he would return after the campaign. Governor Willson will speak on "Topics of the Day." He will be en route to Fulton but will remain over night in Paducah. A large crowd will hear the governor as he has many friends in the city.

**Bradley Goes to Mayfield.**  
Senator William O. Bradley will not speak in Paducah as was announced, but will speak in Mayfield October 12. Instead he will arrive in Paducah Sunday, October 11, and will be the guest of Postmaster Fisher. However, many of his Paducah friends will make the trip to Mayfield to hear the senator.

## "BAD NEGRO"

**SUBDUED BY PATROLMAN WHO  
DISARMED HIM.**

**Big Jim Hall Goes on Rampage and  
Makes Things Happen for a  
While.**

Big Jim Hall, colored, went out yesterday afternoon to take the city according to the police, until he was taken into the blue and brass buttons on the breast of Patrolman Hurley. Not only did Hall curse and abuse the policeman because his fun was rudely interrupted by the hands of the law, but he drew a big pistol to enforce his demand of native freedom. This morning in police court Hall answered the charges of carrying a pistol concealed and for presenting a pistol. His cases were continued until October 2.

According to the police Hall went to Mechanicsburg yesterday and raised a disturbance in the morning, but was ordered away from saloons before trouble occurred. Yesterday afternoon it is said that he braced up with several straight in the saloon of Jim Hanger and then ordered a cab. He left the saloon and later the booze got in its effect. Hall called a cab and gave the driver orders to drive him to Fourth street and Broadway. Will Marble, the driver, refused and a big pistol was said to have been boosted into his face with several oaths to hurry. Marble drove his back on Norton street between Fifth and Sixth streets and in a loud and profane language Hall is alleged to have cursed and told Marble to go at once to Fourth street. Patrolman Hurley heard the disturbance and opened the door and stepped in the cab. Hall resisted the attempt of the

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**50 A WEEK ROOSEVELT'S PAY.**

**Theodore Jr. May Get \$6 With More  
When He Is Worth It.**

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 30.—Alvin H. Higgins, vice president and general manager of the Hartford Carpet Corporation at Thompsonville, has no fears that Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., will require many years to master the intricacies of the business. Mr. Higgins stated that he expected his prominent apprentice next Thursday, and that he would pay him a weekly salary of \$5 or \$6. This will be increased as his services become more valuable. The first task of young Roosevelt will be washing, bleaching and spinning raw wool, and for this he will have to don overalls and jumper. He will follow absolutely all the mill's regulations and will be required to report for work at 7 o'clock in the morning and work hard ten and a half hours every day.

**JOHN K. HENDRICK**  
Speaks to Small Crowd at Court  
House.

A small crowd attended the Bryan club meeting last night at the county court house. The circuit court room was comfortably filled and Col. John K. Hendrick was given the floor and spoke for one hour and thirty-five minutes. He was introduced by Col. Gus Shelton and delivered a brilliant speech, oratory only considered. Mr. Hendrick gave the entire time by other speakers who were expected to speak so that he could do justice to his talk.

Mr. Hendrick's talk was along the same lines as other speakers have made at previous meetings of the club. Mr. Hendrick knocked on Mr. Roosevelt and Taft but praised William J. to the skies as usual. It was considered one of the best Democratic addresses delivered here this fall.

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by contributions. This is not the question. If it is found a party to a suit has given a sum of money to one of the jurors, the court does not stop to inquire whether or not the juror is an incorruptible man or whether in accepting the money he explicitly stated it was accepted with the understanding that he was under no obligation to consider it in making up his verdict. The court would hold that the giving of the money by an interested party or the receiving of the money was a contempt of court and an interference with the administration of justice.

Public officials occupy much the same position as jurors. They are constantly called upon to decide questions between favor-seeking corporations on one hand and the people on the other, and there is a very general impression that the officials of these favor-seeking corporations do not put up large sums of money from purely patriotic motives.

"I do not mean to say that Hughes was influenced by the contributions made to him by trust magnates. I do not mean to say you were influenced by contributions collected by Harriman; neither do I mean to say Taft will be influenced by contributions being made to his fund by trust magnates. But I do mean to say that the American people have a right to know what contributions are being made, that they may judge for themselves the motives of the givers and the obligation imposed upon those who receive them.

"The reflection upon the people involved in your charge that the would misuse the knowledge which publicity would give, is unworthy one who has been elevated to so high an office by the voters of the people, and I venture the assertion that you cannot procure from Taft an endorsement of your defense. He is now before the people; he is offering himself as a candidacy for the presidency. He dare not tell the people to whom he appeals that they have not sense enough to form a just and correct opinion as to the purpose which leads the party interested in special legislation to make big contributions.

"You fear we would misrepresent the motives of those who are contributing to the Republican campaign fund, and cast unjust suspicion upon the Republican candidates. If the names and amounts were made known before election. Your argument, if sound, would prevent publication after election, for why should unjust suspicion be cast upon officials after election any more than before? Does not the secrecy before election increase this suspicion?

"We are going to give you an opportunity to misrepresent the motives of those who give to our campaign fund, and to arouse all the suspicion you can; we are going to prove to the people that we are making a fight for the whole people and not for those who have been enjoying privilege and favors at the hands of the government, and we expect that the honest sentiment of the country will rebuke the party whose convention refused to endorse any kind of publicity and whose candidates are not willing that the people should know until after the polls are closed what predatory interests have been active in the support of the Republican party."

## PADUCAH RANKS 4TH

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able to our welfare and success as a commercial center.

I need only to call your attention to the river today. In the place of the mighty Ohio seeping majestically past the city, you have only a sluggish stream, studded with sandbars and shoals, making it impossible to navigate even so small a boat as a gasoline launch between here and Evansville, and here and Nashville. Do the wholesale merchants feel this? Will you tell them that their trade has fallen off 50 per cent since navigation closed above here?

In order to impress upon you the importance of Paducah's river interests, I wish to quote for your information the figures as given in the government reports and published by one of the board of engineers who have in charge the improvement of this river. In the year of 1906 Paducah and Alton, Ky., with a combined population of 350,000 received and sent by river 1,278,382 tons of freight. Cincinnati with her population of 325,802, received and sent 1,900,000 tons. Wheeling, with a population of 41,000 and over 100 factories, 211,000 tons. Louisville, with a population of 291,731, 1,917,526. Evansville, with her 59,007 people, only 474,560 tons, and Paducah, with only a population as reported by the government of 19,118 received and sent \$28,089 tons of freight, one-fifth as much as Pittsburgh, where the tonnage originating is greater than in any city in the world, and estimated at 122 millions annually; less than one-fifth of Cincinnati, four-fifths of what Louisville shipped with her great cement mills; 2 and one-third times as much as Evansville and almost four times as much as Wheeling with her 100 factories.

From reports on file in my office I give you the following data for the year 1907. Incoming tonnage handled by railroads 196,350 tons. Outgoing freight 120,680 tons. A total of 317,030 tons.

According to the river reports made and furnished to the government department of commerce and labor \$28,089 tons were handled by Paducah operated boats, 50,025 tons handled over the public wharf, 7,500,000 cross ties and 250,000 bags of corn and over a thousand tons of hay and merchandise not readily reported.

There are loaded in the wharf here daily an average of not less than 150 people, who come here to shop or on business, which means over 50,000 persons in one year. They are not altogether transients, but shoppers who spend their money with our merchants and business people.

Last fall I visited Pittsburgh and

Wheeling. Situated 35 miles below Pittsburgh I was shown the city of Midland, Pa., which two years ago was a fruit orchard, but upon the completion of the dams in the Ohio Insuring their water the year round for large purposes, this orchard has now made way to 2 square miles of coke ovens, furnaces and mills, consuming 5,500,000 tons of coal annually for their own use, employing over 3,000 men to operate the plants, and 5,000 homes to shelter the families all brought about by the improvement of the Ohio river under the present scheme of locks and dams.

It is a pipe dream of the imagination for us to dream of a like condition of affairs here when the 9 foot stage is reached? Stranger things have happened than this, and now that the opportunity is before us to get into the land wagon and serenading the national congress next winter by joining the Ohio Valley improvement association, which meets in Louisville October 22 and 23, will you not for the future greatness of Paducah lend your help and your influence for this great work? Paducah is entitled to her just recognition as the fourth largest shipper upon this great waterway. While millions have been spent in the upper Ohio for the benefit of commerce, not one cent has ever been spent down here with the exception of a dike or two on Grand Chain, which was necessary even in good stages of water.

And now gentlemen, in conclusion, let me add that the great benefits to be derived from this great work are not confined to the river man alone, but to all who live in the great Ohio valley, and especially Paducah, reason of her location at the gateway of this valley leading into the south and on to the gulf and the Panama Canal.

## REPUBLICAN TICKET

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Mr. Dorlan should receive all of the glory and thus the will of the people should be carried out, as was pointed at the last election when Colonel Dorlan was elected by a large majority. The Democrats have a candidate for the office and the eligibility of Colonel Dorlan to succeed himself would mean a long-winded contest in the courts.

As City Jailor Wade Brown carried all of the city precincts by an overwhelming majority for the position of city jailor, Mr. Brown was placed in nomination and elected unanimously.

**The Nominees.**  
All of the Republicans nominees are well known business men, thoroughly able to conduct the city's affairs and form an appropriate ground for Mayor Smith's administration. Last fall I visited Pittsburgh and

member of the present board of aldermen and a good business man. H. S. Wells is an alderman at present and has made a good record. He is president of the Paducah Box and Basket company. Finis Lack is not serving the city now, but is a responsible citizen, as he is president of the Lack Singletree company and Lack Malleable iron company. Mr. U. S. Watson is a grocer and has served with credit in the school board. Mr. H. W. Cornelson is a councilman at present and is a prominent member of the Lax-Fox Medicine company.

Of the council Mr. John W. Hebert, from the First ward, will be a new man in the city's affairs, but he is capable, as he is secretary and manager of the Old Kentucky Manufacturing company. Mike Williams, from the Second ward, is also a new man for councilman and is superintendent of the marine railway company. C. M. Ricker, from the Third ward, is a prominent citizen of Paducah. Although a new-comer to Paducah he has taken an interested part in the city's advancement. He is general manager of the West Kentucky Coal company. Mr. J. L. Wanner is a leading jeweler of the city and well qualified for the position of councilman. Mr. T. E. Ford, from the Fifth ward, is now serving in the council, and because of his ability he was nominated for re-election. Mr. R. S. Barnett, from the Sixth ward, was nominated. Mr. Barnett is a grocer and dry goods dealer in Mechanicsburg and a prominent Republican. Mr. A. E. Grouse, nominated for city treasurer, is a traveling agent for S. Fels Brothers & Rubel. Captain Wade Brown was nominated for city jailor and is thoroughly capable to keep the city jail, as has been shown by his record. Captain Brown was appointed to serve January 1 by Mayor Smith. Captain Brown has served as deputy United States marshal.

**News of Theatres**  
May Stewart.  
In a musical production of Shakespeare's greatest personal comedy, "As You Like It," at the opening of the Kentucky Monday night, October 5, will undoubtedly be an event that will attract a large and fashionable house. There is also sure to be a desire on the part of the fair sex to see the gowns worn by Miss Stewart and company, which are claimed to be the most magnificent worn by any legitimate company touring the country. In the first act Miss Stewart wears a beauteously jeweled brocade over a hand embroidered petticoat of satin. The wedding gown in the last act is equally handsome and even more expensive, being of a silver gauze, hand woven and hand embroidered by the penmanship in France. The threads are genuine silver.

The city of New York estimates the number of its trees at 500,000.

## LAST CHANCE!

## COAL WILL ADVANCE!

## FAIR WARNING!

Below is what the coal mine operators and railroad companies tell us: Car famine, demand for coal, low stocks, hard winter expected. Advice from fourteen coal mine operators already that they will advance the price of coal from one to two cents per bushel the first of October. All other coal mine operators will follow, as they have always done before. Only one more week to get your order in on present prices. This is not to frighten the public, but to advise our customers.

To the Public—We warn you to beware of "scoop shovel" dealers. Established dealers cannot afford to mislead you, and their business investments makes them liable for contracts.

# BRADLEY BROS.

The inexperienced "scoop shovel" man is here today and yonder tomorrow, and a bad proposition on a cold winter's morning.

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